

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
AT PEORIA

|                                |   |                  |
|--------------------------------|---|------------------|
| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,      | ) |                  |
|                                | ) |                  |
| Plaintiff,                     | ) |                  |
|                                | ) |                  |
| vs.                            | ) |                  |
|                                | ) |                  |
| KASEY R. KENSINGER AND BANK OF | ) |                  |
| AMERICA, N.A.,                 | ) |                  |
|                                | ) |                  |
|                                | ) | CIVIL NO. 19-cv- |
|                                | ) |                  |
| Defendants.                    | ) |                  |

**COMPLAINT**

Now comes, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, by and through its attorneys, JOHN C. MILHISER, United States Attorney for the Central District of Illinois, and Assistant United States Attorney KIMBERLY A. KLEIN, and for its cause of action alleges that:

1. This is a civil action brought pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1345 to foreclose the hereinafter described mortgage or other conveyance in the nature of a mortgage (hereinafter called "mortgage") and to join the following persons as defendants:  
  
KASEY R. KENSINGER AND BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
2. Attached as Exhibit "A" is a copy of the mortgage (This mortgage has been assumed); Exhibit "B" is a copy of the mortgage; Exhibit "C" is a copy of the Promissory Note (This note has been assumed); Exhibit "D" is a copy of the Assumption Agreement; Exhibit "E" is a copy of the Promissory Note; and Exhibit "F" is a copy of the Promissory Note; and Exhibit "G" is the Notice of Acceleration.
3. Information concerning mortgage:

- (A) Nature of instrument: Mortgage
- (B) Dates of mortgages: Ex. A, May 29, 1996 (This mortgage has been assumed)  
Ex. B, June 17, 2005
- (C) Names of mortgagors: Ex. A, Charles R. Ostrom (This mortgage has been assumed)  
Ex. B, Kasey R. Kensinger
- (D) Name of mortgagee: United States of America, United States Department of Agriculture
- (E) Date and place of recording: Ex. A, May 29, 1996  
Ex. B, June 17, 2005, Tazewell County, Illinois
- (F) Identification of recording: Ex. A, recorded as Doc. No. 9610695,  
Ex. B, recorded as Doc. No. 200500014186,
- (G) Interest subject to the mortgage: Fee Simple
- (H) Amount of original indebtedness, including subsequent advances made under the mortgage: \$69,501.46
- (I) Both the legal description of the mortgaged real estate and the common address or other information sufficient to identify it with reasonable certainty:
1. Legal description of the mortgaged premises:

A part of Lot 4 in Block 1 of Hall and LaFever S Addition to the Original Village, now City of Delavan, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot 4 and running thence North 50 feet, thence West 120 feet, thence South 50 feet, thence East 120 feet to the place of beginning, all being situated in the County of Tazewell, in the State of Illinois.

Parcel ID#21-21-10-325-010

2. Common address or location of mortgaged premises:

809 S Cedar Street, Delavan, Illinois 61734

(J) Statement as to defaults and amount now due:

1. Date of Default is December 31, 2014.
2. Payments which have become due under the secured note are in default and arrears in the total amount of \$56,006.30.
3. The total amount now due is \$100,604.36 as of February 13, 2019, plus interest accrued thereafter, court costs, title costs, and plaintiff's attorney fees. This amount due includes the total principal and interest due and payable, all outstanding advances and fees charged to the defendant account.
4. The per diem interest accruing under the mortgage after default is \$11.8926.

(K) Name of present owner of the real estate: Kasey R. Kensinger

(L) Name or names of persons, in addition to such owners, but excluding any non-record claimants as defined in the Illinois Mortgage Foreclosure Law, Chapter 735 ILCS, Section 5/15-1210, who are joined as defendants and whose interest in or lien on the mortgaged real estate is sought to be terminated.

(1) Bank of America, N.A., by virtue of a Memorandum of Judgment recorded March 26, 2004 as Doc. No. 201400004067.

Plaintiff's mortgage constitutes a valid, prior and paramount lien upon the indicated interest in the mortgaged real estate, which lien is prior and superior to the right, title, interest, claim, or lien of all parties and non-record claimants whose interests in the mortgaged real estate are sought to be terminated.

(M) Names of defendants claimed to be personally liable for deficiency, if any:

Not applicable.

(N) Capacity in which plaintiff brings this foreclosure: as the owner and legal holder of said note, mortgage, and indebtedness.

(O) Facts in support of shortened redemption period, if sought:

None at the time of the filing of this complaint. However, should the mortgaged real estate become abandoned during the pendency of this foreclosure, it is requested that the court make a finding of abandonment and shorten the redemption period.

(P) Facts in support of request for costs and expenses, if applicable:

Plaintiff has been required to incur title insurance or abstract costs, and other expenses which should be added to the balance secured by said mortgage.

(Q) Facts in support of a request for appointment of mortgagee in possession or for appointment of a receiver, and the identity of such receiver, if sought:

Not applicable.

(R) Plaintiff does not offer to mortgagor in accordance with Section 15-1402 to accept title to the real estate in satisfaction of all indebtedness and obligations secured by the mortgage without judicial sale.

(S) Name or names of defendants whose right to possess the mortgaged real estate, after the confirmation of a foreclosure sale, is sought to be terminated and, if not elsewhere stated, the facts in support thereof:

Kasey R. Kensinger

#### REQUEST FOR RELIEF

Plaintiff requests:

- i. A judgment to foreclosure such mortgage, ordering:
  - a. That an accounting may be taken under the direction of the court of the amounts due and owing to the plaintiff;
  - b. That the defendants be ordered to pay to the plaintiff before expiration of any redemption period (or, if no redemption period, before a date fixed by the court) whatever sums may appear to be due upon the taking of such account, together with fees and costs

of the proceedings (to the extent provided in the mortgage or by law);

- c. That in default of such payment in accordance with the judgment, the mortgaged real estate be sold as directed by the court, to satisfy the amount due to the plaintiff as set forth in the judgment, together with the interest thereon at the statutory judgment rate from the date of judgment.
  - d. That in the event the plaintiff is a purchaser of the mortgaged real estate at such sale, the plaintiff may offset against the purchase price of such real estate the amounts due under the judgment of foreclosure and order confirming the sale;
  - e. That in the event of such sale and the failure of the person entitled thereto to redeem prior to such sale pursuant to this Article, the defendants made parties to the foreclosure in accordance with this Article, and all non-record claimants given notice of the foreclosure in accordance with this Article, and all persons claiming by, through or under them, and each and any and all of them, may be forever barred and foreclosed of any right, title, interest, claim, lien or right to redeem in and to the mortgaged real estate; and
  - f. That if no redemption is made prior to such sale, a deed may be issued to the purchaser thereat according to law and such purchaser be let into possession of the mortgaged real estate in accordance with 735 ILCS, Section 5/15-1701, et. seq.
- ii. An order granting a shortened redemption period, if authorized by law.
  - iii. A personal judgment for a deficiency, if authorized by law.
  - iv. An order granting possession.
  - v. An order placing the mortgagee in possession or appointing a receiver.
  - vi. A judgment for fees, costs and expenses.
  - vii. Enforcement of its assignment of rents derived from said real estate.
  - viii. Such other relief as equity may require, including, but not limited to, declaratory and injunctive relief.

ADDITIONAL REQUEST FOR RELIEF

Plaintiff also requests that the judgment for foreclosure or other orders entered herein provide for the following (pursuant to 735 ILCS Section 5/15-1506(f)):

- i. Judicial sale conducted by the United States Marshal or his representative, at which the plaintiff is entitled to bid;
- ii. Title in the real estate may be subject, at the sale, to exceptions including general real estate taxes for the current year and for the preceding year which have not become due and payable as of the date of entry of the judgment of foreclosure, any special assessments upon the real estate, and easements and restrictions of record.
- iii. In the event a party to the foreclosure is a successful bidder at the sale, such party shall be allowed to offset against the purchase price to be paid for such real estate amounts due such party under the judgment of foreclosure or order confirming the sale.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff

*JOHN C. MILHISER*  
*UNITED STATES ATTORNEY*

s/Kimberly A. Klein, IL Bar No. 6230077  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
United States Attorney's Office  
One Technology Plaza  
211 Fulton Street, Suite 400  
Peoria, Illinois 61602  
Tel: 309-671-7050  
Fax: 309-671-7259  
Email: [Kimberly.Klein@usdoj.gov](mailto:Kimberly.Klein@usdoj.gov)

Monday, 25 March, 2019 10:17:38 AM

U.S. District Court, ILCD

USDA-FmHA  
Form FmHA 1927-1 IL  
(Rev. 11-94)

9610695 05/29/1996 01:38  
Robert A. Lutz - Tazewell County Recorder

The form of this Mortgage was prepared by the Office of the General Counsel, United States Department of Agriculture and the material in the blank spaces was inserted by or under the direction of MICHAEL A. BOOHER  
County Supervisor, Farmers Home Administration,  
1650 Fifth Street  
Lincoln, IL 62656

P.T. CO.

Position 5

### REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FOR ILLINOIS

THIS MORTGAGE is made and entered into by CHARLES R. OSTROM, a divorced person not since  
remarried

residing in TAZEWELL County, Illinois, whose post office address is  
809 S. CEDAR STREET, DELAVAN, Illinois, 61734,

herein called "Borrower," and the United States of America acting through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, herein called the "Government,"

WHEREAS Borrower is indebted to the Government as evidenced by one or more promissory note(s) or assumption agreement(s), or any shared appreciation agreement or recapture agreement, herein called "note," which has been executed by Borrower, is payable to the order of the Government, authorizes acceleration of the entire indebtedness at the option of the Government upon any default by Borrower, and is described as follows:

| <u>Date of Instrument</u> | <u>Principal Amount</u> | <u>Annual Rate of Interest</u> | <u>Due Date of Final Installment</u> |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 5/29/1996                 | \$54,480.00             | 6.34%                          | 5/29/2029                            |

(The interest rate for limited resource farm ownership or limited resource operating loan(s) secured by this instrument may be increased as provided in the Farmers Home Administration regulations and the note.)

And the note evidences a loan to Borrower, and the Government, at any time, may assign the note and insure the payment thereof pursuant to the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, or Title V of the Housing Act of 1949 or any other statute administered by the Farmers Home Administration;

EXHIBIT A

FmHA 1927-1 IL (Rev. 11-94)

9610695 05/29/1996 1:38P 2 of 5  
Robert A. Lutz - Tazewell County Recorder

And it is the purpose and intent of this instrument that, among other things, at all times when the note is held by the Government, or in the event the Government should assign this instrument without insurance of the note, this instrument shall secure payment of the note; but when the note is held by an insured holder, this instrument shall not secure payment of the note or attach to the debt evidenced thereby, but as to the note and such debt shall constitute an indemnity mortgage to secure the Government against loss under its insurance contract by reason of any default by Borrower;

And this instrument also secures the recapture of any deferred principal and interest or of any interest credit and subsidy which may be granted to the Borrower by the Government pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 1472(g) or 1490a, respectively, or any amount due under any Shared Appreciation/Recapture Agreement entered into pursuant to 7 U.S.C. § 2001.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the loan(s) and (a) at all times when the note is held by the Government, or in the event the Government should assign this instrument without insurance of the payment of the note, to secure prompt payment of the note and any renewals and extensions thereof and any agreements contained therein, including any provision for the payment of an insurance or other charge, (b) at all times when the note is held by an insured holder, to secure performance of Borrower's agreement herein to indemnify as security for future advances with interest, and save harmless the Government against loss under its insurance contract by reason of any default by Borrower, and (c) in any event and at all times to secure the prompt payment of all advances and expenditures made by the Government, with interest, as hereinafter described, and the performance of every covenant and agreement of Borrower contained herein or in any supplementary agreement, Borrower does hereby convey, mortgage, assign, and warrant unto the Government the following property situated in TAEWELL County(ies), State of Illinois, hereby releasing and waiving all rights under and by virtue of the homestead exemption laws of Illinois, to wit:

A part of Lot 4 in Block 1 of Hall and LaFever's Addition to the Original Village, now City of Delavan, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot 4 and running thence North 50 feet, thence West 120 feet, thence South 50 feet, thence East 120 feet to the place of beginning, all being situated in the County of Tazewell, in the State of Illinois.

21-21-10-325-010



9610695

05/29/1996 01:38P

3 of 5

Robert A. Lutz - Tazewell County Recorder

together with all rights (including the rights to mining products, gravel, oil, gas, coal or other minerals), interests, easements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, the rents, issues, and profits thereof and revenues and income therefrom, all improvements and personal property now or later attached thereto or reasonably necessary to the use thereof, including, but not limited to, ranges, refrigerators, clothes washers, clothes dryers, or carpeting purchased or financed in whole or in part with loan funds, all water, water rights, and water stock pertaining thereto, and all payments at any time owing to Borrower by virtue of any sale, lease, transfer, conveyance, or condemnation of any part thereof or interest therein-all of which are herein called "the property";

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the property unto the Government and its assigns forever in fee simple.

BORROWER for Borrower's self, Borrower's heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns WARRANTS THE TITLE to the property to the Government against all lawful claims and demands whatsoever except any liens, encumbrances, easements, reservations, or conveyances specified hereinabove, and COVENANTS AND AGREES as follows:

(1) To pay promptly when due any indebtedness to the Government hereby secured and to indemnify and save harmless the Government against any loss under its insurance of payment of the note by reason of any default by Borrower. At all times when the note is held by an insured holder, Borrower shall continue to make payments on the note to the Government, as collection agent for the holder.

(2) To pay the Government such fees and other charges as may now or hereafter be required by regulations of the Farmers Home Administration.

(3) If required by the Government, to make additional monthly payments of 1/12 of the estimated annual taxes, assessments, insurance premiums and other charges upon the mortgaged premises.

(4) Whether or not the note is insured by the Government, the Government may at any time pay any other amounts including advances for payment of prior and/or junior liens, required herein to be paid by Borrower and not paid by Borrower when due, as well as any costs and expenses for the preservation, protection, or enforcement of this line, as advances for Borrower's account. All such advances shall bear interest at the rate borne by the note which has the highest interest rate.

(5) All advances by the Government, including advances for payment of prior and/or junior liens, in addition to any advances required by the terms of the note, as described by this instrument, with interest shall be immediately due and payable by Borrower to the Government without demand at the place designated in the latest note and shall be secured hereby. No such advance by the Government shall relieve Borrower from breach of Borrower's covenant to pay. Any payment made by Borrower may be applied on the note or any indebtedness to the Government secured hereby, in any order the Government determines.

(6) To use the loan evidenced by the note solely for purposes authorized by the Government.

(7) To pay when due all taxes, liens, judgments, encumbrances, and assessments lawfully attaching to or assessed against the property, including all charges and assessments in connection with water, water rights, and water stock pertaining to or reasonably necessary to the use of the real property described above, and promptly deliver to the Government without demand receipts evidencing such payments.

(8) To keep the property insured as required by and under insurance policies approved by the Government and, at its request, to deliver such policies to the Government.

(9) To maintain improvements in good repair and make repairs required by the Government; operate the property in a good and husbandmanlike manner; comply with farm conservation practices and farm and home management plans as the Government from time to time may prescribe; and not to abandon the property, or cause or permit waste, lessening or impairment of the security covered hereby, or, without the written consent of the Government, cut, remove, or lease any timber, gravel, oil, gas, coal, or other minerals except as may be necessary for ordinary domestic purposes.

(10) To comply with all laws, ordinances, and regulations affecting the property.

(11) To pay or reimburse the Government for expenses reasonably necessary or incidental to the protection of the lien and priority hereof and to the enforcement of or the compliance with the provisions hereof and of the note and any supplementary agreement (whether before or after default), including but not limited to costs of evidence of title to and survey of the property, costs of recording this and other instruments, attorneys' fees, trustees' fees, court costs, and expenses of advertising, selling, and conveying the property.

(12) Except as otherwise provided by the Farmers Home Administration regulations, neither the property nor any portion thereof or interest therein shall be leased, assigned, sold, transferred, or encumbered voluntarily or otherwise, without the written consent of the Government. The Government shall have the sole and exclusive rights as mortgagee hereunder, including but not limited to the power to grant consents, partial releases, subordinations, and satisfaction, and no insured holder shall have any right, title or interest in or to the lien or any benefits hereof.

(13) At all reasonable times the Government and its agents may inspect the property to ascertain whether the covenants and agreements contained herein or in any supplementary agreement are being performed.

(14) The Government may (a) adjust the interest rate, payment, terms or balance due on the loan, (b) increase the mortgage by an amount equal to deferred interest on the outstanding principal balance, (c) extend or defer the maturity of, and renew and reschedule the payments on, the debt evidenced by the note or any indebtedness to the Government secured by this instrument, (d) release any party who is liable under the note or for the debt from liability to the Government, (e) release portions of the property and subordinate its lien, and (f) waive any other of its rights under this instrument. Any and all this can and will be done without affecting the lien or the priority of this instrument or Borrower's or any other party's liability to the Government for payment of the note or debt secured by this instrument or Borrower's or any other party's liability to the Government for payment of the note or debt secured by this instrument unless the Government says otherwise in writing. HOWEVER, any forbearance by the Government-whether once or often-in exercising any right or remedy under this instrument, or otherwise afforded by applicable law, shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any such right or remedy.

9610695 05/29/1996 01:38P 4 of 5  
Robert A. Lutz - Tazewell County Recorder

(15) If at any time it shall appear to the Government that Borrower may be able to obtain a loan from a production credit association, a Federal land bank, or other responsible cooperative or private credit source, at reasonable rates and terms for loans for similar purposes and periods of time, Borrower will upon the Government's request, apply for and accept such loan in sufficient amount to pay the note and any indebtedness secured hereby and to pay for any stock necessary to be purchased in a cooperative lending agency in connection with such loan.

(16) Default hereunder shall constitute default under any other real estate, or under any personal property, or other security instrument held or insured by the Government and executed or assumed by Borrower, and default under any such other security instrument shall constitute default hereunder.

(17) SHOULD DEFAULT occur in the performance or discharge of any obligation in this instrument or secured by this instrument, or should the parties named as Borrower die or be declared incompetent, or should any one of the parties named as Borrower be discharged in bankruptcy or declared an insolvent, or make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, the Government, at its option, with or without notice, may: (a) declare the entire amount unpaid under the note and any indebtedness to the Government hereby secured immediately due and payable, (b) for the account of Borrower incur and pay reasonable expenses for repair or maintenance of and take possession of, operate or rent the property, (c) upon application by it and production of this instrument, without other evidence and without notice of hearing of said application, have a receiver appointed for the property with the usual powers of receivers in like cases, (d) foreclose this instrument as provided herein or by law, and (e) enforce any and all other rights and remedies provided herein or by present or future laws.

(18) The proceeds of foreclosure sale shall be applied in the following order to the payment of: (a) costs and expenses incident to enforcing or complying with the provisions hereof, (b) any prior liens required by law or a competent court to be so paid, (c) the debt evidenced by the note and all indebtedness to the Government secured hereby, (d) inferior liens of record required by law or a competent court to be so paid, (e) at the Government's option, any other indebtedness of Borrower owing to or insured by the Government, and (f) any balance to Borrower. At foreclosure or other sale of all or any part of the property, the Government and its agents may bid and purchase as a stranger and may pay the Government's share of the purchase price by crediting such amount on any debts of Borrower owing to or insured by the Government, in the order prescribed above.

(19) Borrower agrees that the Government will not be bound by any present or future State laws prescribing any statute of limitations or limiting the conditions which the Government may by regulation impose, including the interest rate it may charge, as a condition of approving a transfer of the property to a new Borrower. Borrower expressly waives the benefit of any such State laws. Borrower hereby waives, to the fullest extent Borrower may lawfully do so under State law, the benefit of all State laws (a) providing for valuation, appraisal, homestead or exemption of the property, (b) prohibiting maintenance of an action for a deficiency judgment or limiting the amount thereof or the time within which such action may be brought, or (c) allowing any right of redemption or possession following any foreclosure sale. Borrower also hereby relinquishes, waives and conveys all rights, inchoate or consummate, of descent, dower, curtesy, and homestead.

(20) If any part of the loan for which this instrument is given shall be used to finance the purchase, construction or repair of property to be used as an owner-occupied dwelling (herein called "the dwelling") and if Borrower intends to sell or rent the dwelling and has obtained the Government's consent to do so (a) neither Borrower nor anyone authorized to act for Borrower will, after receipt of a bona fide offer, refuse to negotiate for the sale or rental of the dwelling or will otherwise make unavailable or deny the dwelling to anyone because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, handicap or familial status, and (b) Borrower recognizes as illegal and hereby disclaims, and will not comply with or attempt to enforce any restrictive covenants on the dwelling relating to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, handicap or familial status.

(21) Borrower further agrees that the loan(s) secured by this instrument will be in default should any loan proceeds be used for a purpose that will contribute to excessive erosion of highly erodible land or to the conversion of wetlands to produce an agricultural commodity, as further explained in 7 CFR Part 1940, Subpart G, Exhibit M.

(22) This instrument shall be subject to the present regulations of the Farmers Home Administration, and to its future regulations not inconsistent with the express provisions hereof.

(23) Notices given hereunder shall be sent by certified mail, unless otherwise required by law, and addressed, unless and until other address is designated in a notice so given, in the case of the Government to Farmers Home Administration at Champaign, Illinois 61820, and in the case of Borrower at the address shown in the Farmers Home Administration Finance Office records (which normally will be the same as the post office address shown above.).

(24) If any provision of this instrument or application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity will not affect other provisions or applications of the instrument which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions hereof are declared to be severable.

9610695 05/29/1996 01:38P 5 of 5  
Robert A. Lutz - Tazewell County Recorder

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Borrower has hereunto set Borrower's hand(s) and seal(s) this 29TH

day of MAY, 19 96.

CHARLES R. OSTROM

(SEAL)

(SEAL)

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF ILLINOIS

COUNTY OF TAZEWELL

ss:

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that

CHARLES R. OSTROM

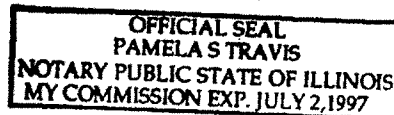
personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and official seal this 29TH day of MAY, A.D., 19 96.

(SEAL)

Notary Public

My commission expires



\*Print, stamp or typewrite the names of the mortgagers and the notary beneath their signatures.

200500014186  
 Filed for Record in  
 TAZEWELL COUNTY, IL  
 ROBERT LUTZ  
 06-17-2005 At 03:48 PM.

MORTGAGE 28.75

The form of this Mortgage was prepared by  
 the Office of the General Counsel, United  
 States Department of Agriculture and the  
 material in the blank spaces was inserted by  
 or under the direction of

Michael A. Booher  
1650 Fifth St.  
Lincoln, IL 62656

0511648

004

3285787

RETURN TO  
 FIRST COMMUNITY  
 TITLE SERVICES

Form RD 3550-14 IL  
 (Rev. 9-99)

[Space Above This Line For Recording Data]

Form Approved  
 OMB No. 0575-0172

United States Department of Agriculture  
 Rural Housing Service

### MORTGAGE FOR ILLINOIS

THIS MORTGAGE ("Security Instrument") is made on June 17, 2005 [Date]  
 The mortgagor is Kasey R. Kensinger ("Borrower").

This Security Instrument is given to the United States of America acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture ("Lender"), whose address is Rural Housing Service, c/o Centralized Servicing Center, United States Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 66889, St. Louis, Missouri 63166.

Borrower is indebted to Lender under the following promissory notes and/or assumption agreements (herein collectively called "Note") which have been executed or assumed by Borrower and which provide for monthly payments, with the full debt, if not paid earlier, due and payable on the maturity date:

| Date of Instrument | Principal Amount | Maturity Date |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 06-17-2005         | \$15,021.46      | 06-17-2043    |
| 05-29-1996         | \$54,480.00      | 05-29-2029    |

This Security Instrument secures to Lender: (a) the repayment of the debt evidenced by the Note, with interest, and all renewals, extensions and modifications of the Note; (b) the payment of all other sums, with interest, advanced under paragraph 7 to protect the property covered by this Security Instrument; (c) the performance of Borrowers covenants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note, and (d) the recapture of any payment assistance and subsidy which may be granted to the Borrower by the Lender pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 1472(g) or 1490a. For this purpose, Borrower does hereby mortgage, grant and convey to Lender the following described property located in

Tazewell County, Illinois:

A part of Lot 4 in Block 1 of Hall and LaFever s Addition to the Original Village, now city of Delavan.

\* See attached for complete legal description \*

which has the address of 809 Cedar St Delavan, Illinois 61734  
 [Street] [City] [ZIP]  
 ("Property Address");

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0575-0172. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

Page 1 of 6

EXHIBIT B



TOGETHER WITH all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all easements, appurtenances, and fixtures which now or hereafter are a part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this Security Instrument. All of the foregoing is referred to in this Security Instrument as the "Property."

**BORROWER COVENANTS** that Borrower is lawfully seised of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to grant and convey the Property and that the Property is unencumbered, except for encumbrances of record. Borrower warrants and will defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands, subject to any encumbrances of record.

THIS SECURITY INSTRUMENT combines uniform covenants for national use and non-uniform covenants with limited variations by jurisdiction to constitute a uniform security instrument covering real property.

**UNIFORM COVENANTS.** Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

**1. Payment of Principal and Interest; Prepayment and Late Charges.** Borrower shall promptly pay when due the principal of and interest on the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment and late charges due under the Note.

**2. Funds for Taxes and Insurance.** Subject to applicable law or to a written waiver by Lender, Borrower shall pay to Lender on the day monthly payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum ("Funds") for: (a) yearly taxes and assessments which may attain priority over this Security Instrument as a lien on the Property; (b) yearly leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any; (c) yearly hazard or property insurance premiums; and (d) yearly flood insurance premiums, if any. These items are called "Escrow Items." Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount not to exceed the maximum amount a lender for a federally related mortgage loan may require for Borrower's escrow account under the federal Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974 as amended from time to time, 12 U.S.C. § 2601 *et seq.* ("RESPA"), unless another law or federal regulation that applies to the Funds sets a lesser amount. If so, Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount not to exceed the lesser amount. Lender may estimate the amount of Funds due on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of expenditures of future Escrow Items or otherwise in accordance with applicable law.

The Funds shall be held by a federal agency (including Lender) or in an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity. Lender shall apply the Funds to pay the Escrow Items. Lender may not charge Borrower for holding and applying the Funds, annually analyzing the escrow account, or verifying the Escrow Items, unless Lender pays Borrower interest on the Funds and applicable law permits Lender to make such a charge. However, Lender may require Borrower to pay a one-time charge for an independent real estate tax reporting service used by Lender in connection with this loan, unless applicable law provides otherwise. Unless an agreement is made or applicable law requires interest to be paid, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Borrower and Lender may agree in writing, however, that interest shall be paid on the Funds. Lender shall give to Borrower, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds, showing credits and debits to the Funds and the purpose for which each debit to the Funds was made. The Funds are pledged as additional security for all sums secured by this Security Instrument.

If the Funds held by Lender exceed the amounts permitted to be held by applicable law, Lender shall account to Borrower for the excess funds in accordance with the requirements of applicable law. If the amount of the Funds held by Lender at any time is not sufficient to pay the Escrow Items when due, Lender may so notify Borrower in writing, and, in such case Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the deficiency. Borrower shall make up the deficiency in no more than twelve monthly payments, at Lender's sole discretion.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any Funds held by Lender. If Lender shall acquire or sell the Property after acceleration under paragraph 22, Lender, prior to the acquisition or sale of the Property, shall apply any Funds held by Lender at the time of acquisition or sale as a credit against the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

**3. Application of Payments.** Unless applicable law or Lender's regulations provide otherwise, all payments received by Lender under paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be applied in the following order of priority:

(1) to advances for the preservation or protection of the Property or enforcement of this lien; (2) to accrued interest due under the Note; (3) to principal due under the Note; (4) to amounts required for the escrow items under paragraph 2; (5) to late charges and other fees and charges.

**4. Charges; Liens.** Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fines and impositions attributable to the Property which may attain priority over this Security Instrument, and leasehold payments or ground rents, if any. Borrower shall pay these obligations in the manner provided in paragraph 2, or if not paid in that manner, Borrower shall pay them on time directly to the person owed payment. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this paragraph. If Borrower makes these payments directly, Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender receipts evidencing the payments.

Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien which has priority over this Security Instrument unless Lender has agreed in writing to such lien or Borrower: (a) agrees in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by the lien in a manner acceptable to Lender; (b) contests in good faith the lien by, or defends against enforcement of the lien in, legal proceedings which in the Lender's opinion operate to prevent the enforcement of the lien; or (c) secures from the holder of the lien an agreement satisfactory to Lender subordinating the lien to this Security Instrument. If Lender determines that any part of the Property is subject to a lien which may attain priority over this Security Instrument, Lender may give Borrower a notice identifying the lien. Borrower shall satisfy the lien or take one or more of the actions set forth above within ten (10) days of the giving of notice.

Borrower shall pay to Lender such fees and other charges as may now or hereafter be required by regulations of Lender, and pay or reimburse Lender for all Lender's fees, costs, and expenses in connection with any full or partial release or subordination of this instrument or any other transaction affecting the property.

**5. Hazard or Property Insurance.** Borrower shall keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage" and any other hazards, including floods or flooding, for which Lender requires insurance. This insurance shall be maintained in the amounts and for the periods that Lender requires. The insurer providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to Lender's approval which shall not be unreasonably withheld. If Borrower fails to maintain coverage described above, at Lender's option Lender may obtain coverage to protect Lender's rights in the Property pursuant to paragraph 7.

All insurance policies and renewals shall be in a form acceptable to Lender and shall include a standard mortgagee clause. Lender shall have the right to hold the policies and renewals. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give to Lender all receipts of paid premiums and renewal notices. In the event of loss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, insurance proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property damaged, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. If Borrower abandons the Property, or does not answer within thirty (30) days a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may collect the insurance proceeds. Lender may use the proceeds to repair or restore the Property or to pay sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. The thirty (30) day period will begin when the notice is given.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly payments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of the payments. If after acceleration the Property is acquired by Lender, Borrower's right to any insurance policies and proceeds resulting from damage to the Property prior to the acquisition shall pass to Lender to the extent of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately prior to the acquisition.

**6. Preservation, Maintenance, and Protection of the Property; Borrower's Loan Application; Leaseholds.** Borrower shall not destroy, damage or impair the Property, allow the Property to deteriorate, or commit waste on the Property. Borrower shall maintain the improvements in good repair and make repairs required by Lender. Borrower shall comply with all laws, ordinances, and regulations affecting the Property. Borrower shall be in default if any forfeiture action or proceeding, whether civil or criminal, is begun that in Lender's good faith judgment could result in forfeiture of the Property or otherwise materially impair the lien created by this Security Instrument or Lender's security interest. Borrower may cure such a default by causing the action or proceeding to be dismissed with a ruling that, in Lender's good faith determination, precludes forfeiture of the Borrower's interest in the Property or other material impairment of the lien created by this Security Instrument or Lender's security interest. Borrower shall also be in default if Borrower, during the loan application process, gave materially false or inaccurate information or statements to Lender (or failed to provide Lender with any material information) in connection with the loan evidenced by the Note. If this Security Instrument is on a leasehold, Borrower shall comply with all the provisions of the lease. If Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the leasehold and the fee title shall not merge unless Lender agrees to the merger in writing.

**7. Protection of Lender's Rights in the Property.** If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument, or there is a legal proceeding that may significantly affect Lender's rights in the Property (such as a proceeding in bankruptcy, probate, for condemnation or forfeiture or to enforce laws or regulations), then Lender may do and pay for whatever is necessary to protect the value of the Property and Lender's rights in the Property. Lender's actions may include paying any sums secured by a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument, appearing in court, paying reasonable attorneys' fees and entering on the Property to make repairs. Although Lender may take action under this paragraph 7, Lender is not required to do so.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this paragraph 7 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. Unless Borrower and Lender agree to other terms of payment, these amounts shall bear interest from the date of disbursement at the Note rate and shall be payable, with interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

**8. Refinancing.** If at any time it shall appear to Lender that Borrower may be able to obtain a loan from a responsible cooperative or private credit source, at reasonable rates and terms for loans for similar purposes, Borrower will, upon the Lender's request, apply for and accept such loan in sufficient amount to pay the note and any indebtedness secured hereby in full.

**9. Inspection.** Lender or its agent may make reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property. Lender shall give Borrower notice at the time of or prior to an inspection specifying reasonable cause for the inspection.

**10. Condemnation.** The proceeds of any award or claim for damages, direct or consequential, in connection with any condemnation or other taking of any part of the Property, or for conveyance in lieu of condemnation, are hereby assigned and shall be paid to Lender. In the event of a total taking of the Property, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. In the event of a partial taking of the Property in which the fair market value of the Property immediately before the taking is equal to or greater than the amount of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately before the taking, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall be reduced by the amount of the proceeds multiplied by the following fraction: (a) the total amount of the sums secured immediately before the taking, divided by (b) the fair market value of the Property immediately before the taking. Any balance shall be paid to Borrower. In the event of a partial taking of the Property in which the fair market value of the Property immediately before the taking is less than the amount of the sums secured hereby immediately before the taking, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing or unless applicable law otherwise provides, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument whether or not the sums are then due.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if, after notice by Lender to Borrower that the condemnor offers to make an award or settle a claim for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within thirty (30) days after the date the notice is given, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the proceeds, at its option, either to restoration or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly payments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of such payments.

**11. Borrower Not Released; Forbearance By Lender Not a Waiver.** Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by Lender to Borrower and any successor in interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of the original Borrower or Borrower's successors in interest. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any successor in interest or refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of any demand made by the original Borrower or Borrower's successors in interest. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.

**12. Successors and Assigns Bound; Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers.** The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower, subject to the provisions of paragraph 16. Borrower's covenants and agreements shall be joint and several. Any Borrower who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note: (a) is co-signing this Security instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey that Borrower's interest in the Property under the terms of this Security Instrument; (b) is not personally obligated to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) agrees that Lender and any other Borrower may agree to extend, modify, forbear or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without that Borrower's consent.

**13. Notices.** Any notice to Borrower provided for in this Security Instrument shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail unless applicable law requires use of another method. The notice shall be directed to the Property Address or any other address Borrower designates by notice to Lender. Any notice to Lender shall be given by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein or any other address Lender designates by notice to Borrower. Any notice provided for in this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Lender when given as provided in this paragraph.

**14. Governing Law; Severability.** This Security Instrument shall be governed by federal law. In the event that any provision or clause of this Security Instrument or the Note conflicts with applicable law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provision. To this end the provisions of this Security Instrument and the Note are declared to be severable. This instrument shall be subject to the present regulations of Lender, and to its future regulations not inconsistent with the express provisions hereof. All powers and agencies granted in this instrument are coupled with an interest and are irrevocable by death or otherwise; and the rights and remedies provided in this instrument are cumulative to remedies provided by law.

**15. Borrower's Copy.** Borrower acknowledges receipt of one conformed copy of the Note and of this Security Instrument.

**16. Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower.** If all or any part of the Property or any interest in it is leased for a term greater than three (3) years, leased with an option to purchase, sold, or transferred (or if a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred and Borrower is not a natural person) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may, at its option, require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this



Security Instrument.

**17. Nondiscrimination.** If Borrower intends to sell or rent the Property or any part of it and has obtained Lender's consent to do so (a) neither Borrower nor anyone authorized to act for Borrower, will refuse to negotiate for the sale or rental of the Property or will otherwise make unavailable or deny the Property to anyone because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, handicap, age, or familial status, and (b) Borrower recognizes as illegal and hereby disclaims and will not comply with or attempt to enforce any restrictive covenants on dwelling relating to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, handicap, age or familial status.

**18. Sale of Note; Change of Loan Servicer.** The Note or a partial interest in the Note (together with this Security Instrument) may be sold one or more times without prior notice to Borrower. A sale may result in a change in the entity (known as the "Loan Servicer") that collects monthly payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument. There also may be one or more changes of the Loan Servicer unrelated to a sale of the Note. If there is a change of the Loan Servicer, Borrower will be given written notice of the change in accordance with paragraph 13 above and applicable law. The notice will state the name and address of the new Loan Servicer and the address to which payments should be made.

**19. Uniform Federal Non-Judicial Foreclosure.** If a uniform federal non-judicial foreclosure law applicable to foreclosure of this security instrument is enacted, Lender shall have the option to foreclose this instrument in accordance with such federal procedure.

**20. Hazardous Substances.** Borrower shall not cause or permit the presence, use, disposal, storage, or release of any hazardous substances on or in the Property. The preceding sentence shall not apply to the presence, use, or storage on the Property of small quantities of hazardous substances that are generally recognized to be appropriate to normal residential uses and to maintenance of the Property. Borrower shall not do, nor allow anyone else to do, anything affecting the Property that is in violation of any federal, state, or local environmental law or regulation. Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of any investigation, claim, demand, lawsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any hazardous substance or environmental law or regulation of which Borrower has actual Knowledge. If Borrower learns, or is notified by any governmental or regulatory authority, that any removal or other remediation of any hazardous substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with applicable environmental law and regulations.

As used in this paragraph "hazardous substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances by environmental law and the following substances: gasoline, kerosene, other flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radioactive materials. As used in this paragraph, "environmental law" means federal laws and regulations and laws and regulations of the jurisdiction where the Property is located that relate to health, safety or environmental protection.

**21. Cross Collateralization.** Default hereunder shall constitute default under any other real estate security instrument held by Lender and executed or assumed by Borrower, and default under any other such security instrument shall constitute default hereunder.

**22. SHOULD DEFAULT** occur in the performance or discharge of any obligation in this instrument or secured by this instrument, or should the parties named as Borrower die or be declared incompetent, or should any one of the parties named as Borrower be discharged in bankruptcy or declared an insolvent, or make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, Lender, at its option, with or without notice, may: (a) declare the entire amount unpaid under the note and any indebtedness to Lender hereby secured immediately due and payable, (b) for the account of Borrower incur and pay reasonable expenses for repair or maintenance of and take possession of, operate or rent the property, (c) upon application by it and production of this instrument, without other evidence and without notice of hearing of said application, have a receiver appointed for the property with the usual powers of receivers in like cases, (d) foreclose this instrument as provided herein or by law, and (e) enforce any and all other rights and remedies provided herein or by present or future laws.

**23.** The proceeds of foreclosure sale shall be applied in the following order to the payment of: (a) costs and expenses incident to enforcing or complying with the provisions hereof, (b) any prior liens required by law or a competent court to be so paid, (c) the debt evidenced by the note and all indebtedness to Lender secured hereby, (d) inferior liens of record required by law or a competent court to be so paid, (e) at Lender's option, any other indebtedness of Borrower owing to Lender, and (f) any balance to Borrower. At foreclosure or other sale of all or any part of the property, Lender and its agents may bid and purchase as a stranger and may pay Lender's share of the purchase price by crediting such amount on any debts of Borrower owing to Lender, in the order prescribed above.

**24.** Borrower agrees that Lender will not be bound by any present or future State laws prescribing any statute of limitations or limiting the conditions which Lender may by regulation impose, including the interest rate it may charge, as a condition of approving a transfer of the property to a new Borrower. Borrower expressly waives the benefit of any such State laws. Borrower hereby waives, to the fullest extent Borrower may lawfully do so under State law, the benefit of all State laws (a) providing for valuation, appraisal, homestead or exemption of the property, (b) prohibiting maintenance of an action for a deficiency judgment or limiting the amount thereof or the



Instrument  
200500014186

time within which such action may be brought, or (c) allowing any right of redemption or possession following any foreclosure sale. Borrower also hereby relinquishes, waives and conveys all rights, inchoate or consummate, of descent, dower, curtesy, and homestead.

**25. Riders to this Security Instrument.** If one or more riders are executed by Borrower and recorded together with this Security Instrument, the covenants and agreements of each rider shall be incorporated into and shall amend and supplement the covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument as if the rider(s) were a part of this Security Instrument. [Check applicable box]

☐ Condominium Rider    ☐ Planned Unit Development    ☐ Other(s) [specify]

BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in pages 1 through 6 of this Security Instrument and in any rider executed by Borrower and recorded with this Security Instrument.

[REDACTED] (SEAL)\*  
KASEY R. KENSINGER

(SEAL)\*

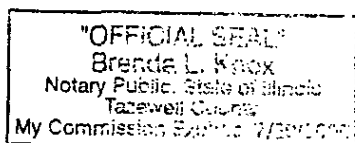
### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF ILLINOIS }  
COUNTY OF Tazewell } ss:

I, Brenda L Knox, a Notary Public, do hereby  
certify that Kasey R. Kensinger and \_\_\_\_\_  
personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing  
instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and  
delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set  
forth.

Given under my hand and official seal this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2005

(SEAL)



\*

[REDACTED] Notary Public

My commission expires 7/29/05

\*Print, stamp or typewrite the names of the mortgagors and the notary beneath their signatures.

A part of Lot 4 in Block 1 of Hall and LaFever's Addition to the Original Village, now City of Delavan more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot 4 and running thence North 50 feet, thence West 120 feet, thence South 50 feet, thence East 120 feet to the place of beginning, Situated in Tazewell County, Illinois

21-21-10-325-010

USDA-FmHA  
Form FmHA 1940-16  
(Rev. 4-91)

# PROMISSORY NOTE

OSTROM, Charles  
LINCOLN

|              |
|--------------|
| TYPE OF LOAN |
| 502          |

|          |
|----------|
| STATE    |
| ILLINOIS |
| COUNTY   |
| TAZEWELL |
| CASE NO. |
|          |

Date May 29, 19 96.

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned (whether one or more persons, herein called "Borrower") jointly and severally promise to pay to the order of the United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration,

United States Department of Agriculture, (herein called the "Government") at its office in \_\_\_\_\_  
LINCOLN, ILLINOIS

THE PRINCIPAL SUM OF FIFTY-FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY AND NO/100-----  
DOLLARS (\$ 54,480.00), plus INTEREST on the UNPAID PRINCIPAL of  
SIX & THREE-QUARTERS PERCENT (6.75 %) PER ANNUM.

Payment of the said Principal and Interest shall be as agreed between the Borrower and the Government using one of three alternatives as indicated below: (check one)

☐ I. Principal and Interest payments shall be deferred. The interest accrued to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ shall be added to the Principal. Such new Principal and later accrued Interest shall be payable in \_\_\_\_\_ regular amortized installments on the dates indicated in the box below. Borrower authorizes the Government to enter the amount of such new Principal herein \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and the amount of such regular installments in the box below, when such amounts have been determined.

☐ II. Payment of Interest shall not be deferred. Installments of accrued Interest shall be payable on the \_\_\_\_\_ of each \_\_\_\_\_ beginning on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, through \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, Principal and later accrued Interest shall be paid in \_\_\_\_\_ installments as indicated in the box below;

☒ III. Payments shall not be deferred. Principal and Interest shall be paid in 396 installments as indicated in the box below:

\$ 344.00 on JUNE 28, 19 96, and  
\$ 344.00 thereafter on the 28TH of each MONTH  
until the PRINCIPAL and INTEREST are fully paid except that the FINAL INSTALLMENT of the entire indebtedness evidenced hereby, if not sooner paid, shall be due and PAYABLE THIRTY-THREE (33) YEARS from the DATE of this NOTE. The consideration herefor shall support any agreement modifying the foregoing schedule of payments.

If the total amount of the loan is not advanced at the time of loan closing, the loan shall be advanced to the Borrower as requested by Borrower and approved by the Government. Approval of the Government is mandatory provided the advance is requested for a purpose authorized by the Government. Interest shall accrue on the amount of each advance from its actual date as shown on the reverse hereof. Borrower authorizes the Government to enter the amount and date of such advance in the Record of Advances.

Payment of principal and interest shall be applied in accordance with FmHA accounting procedures in effect on the date of receipt of the payment. Borrower agrees to pay late charges in accordance with FmHA regulations in effect when a late charge is assessed.

Prepayments of scheduled installments, or any portion thereof, may be made at any time of the option of Borrower. Refunds and extra payments, as defined in the regulations (7CFR §1951.8) of the Farmers Home Administration according to the source of funds involved, shall, after payment of interest, be applied in accordance with FmHA regulations and accounting procedures in effect on the date of receipt of payments.

Borrower agrees that the Government at any time may assign this note. If the Government assigns the note and insures the payment thereof, and in such case, though the note is not held by the Government, Borrower shall continue to pay to the Government, as collection agent for the holder, all installments of principal and interest as scheduled herein.

If this note is held by an insured lender, prepayments made by Borrower may, at the option of the Government, be remitted by the Government to the holder promptly or, except for final payment, be retained by the Government and remitted to the holder on either a calendar quarter basis or an annual installment due date basis. The effective date of any prepayment retained and remitted by the Government to the holder on an annual installment due date basis shall be the date of the prepayment by Borrower, and the Government will pay the interest to which the holder is entitled accruing between the effective date of any such prepayment and the date of the Treasury check to the holder.

**CREDIT ELSEWHERE CERTIFICATION:** Borrower hereby certifies that he/she is unable to obtain sufficient credit elsewhere to finance his/her actual needs at reasonable rates and terms, taking into consideration prevailing private and cooperative rates and terms in or near his/her community for loans for similar purposes and periods of time, and that the loan evidenced hereby shall be used solely for purposes authorized by the Government.

**LEASE OR SALE OF PROPERTY:** If the property constructed, improved, purchased, or refinanced in whole or in part with the loan evidenced hereby is (1) leased or rented with an option to purchase, (2) leased or rented without option to purchase for a term exceeding 3 years, or (3) sold or title is otherwise conveyed, voluntarily or involuntarily, the Government may at its option declare the indebtedness evidenced hereby immediately due and payable.

**REFINANCING AGREEMENT:** Borrower hereby agrees to provide periodic financial information as requested by the Government. If at any time it shall appear to the Government that Borrower may be able to obtain a loan from a responsible cooperative or private credit source at reasonable rates and terms for loans for similar purposes and period of time, Borrower will, at the Government's request, apply for and accept a loan in sufficient amount to pay this note in full and, if the lender is a cooperative, to pay for any necessary stock. This paragraph and the preceding paragraph shall not apply to any comaker signing this note pursuant to Section 502 of the Housing Act of 1949 to compensate for deficient repayment ability of other undersigned person(s).

**CREDIT SALE TO NONPROGRAM BORROWER:** The provisions of the paragraphs entitled "Credit Elsewhere Certification," and "Refinancing Agreement" do not apply if (1) this promissory note represents in whole or part payment for property purchased from the Government and (2) the loan represented by this promissory note was made to the borrower as a nonprogram borrower under Title V of the Housing Act of 1949, as amended, and regulations promulgated thereunder.

**DEFAULT:** Failure to pay when due any debt evidenced hereby or perform any covenant or agreement hereunder shall constitute default under this instrument and any other instrument evidencing a debt of Borrower owing to, insured or Guaranteed by the Government or securing or otherwise relating to such a debt; and default under any such other instrument shall constitute default hereunder. UPON ANY SUCH DEFAULT, the Government at its option may declare all or any part of any such indebtedness immediately due and payable.

**SUBSIDY REPAYMENT AGREEMENT:** Borrower agrees to the repayment (recapture) of subsidy granted in the form of interest credits. Subsidy will be repaid when the borrower's account is settled by sale of the security property, refinancing or payment in full and will be calculated in accordance with regulations in effect at the time of settlement. Recapture is based on property appreciation and can equal all, some or none but never exceed the amount of subsidy received.

This Note is given as evidence of a loan to Borrower made or insured by the Government pursuant to the Title V of the Housing Act of 1949 and for the type of loan as is indicated in the "TYPE OF LOAN" block above. This Note shall be subject to the present regulations of the Farmers Home Administration and to its future regulations not inconsistent with the express provisions hereof.

**WARNING:** Failure to furnish accurate and truthful financial information may result in the termination of program assistance currently being 1. and the denial of future program assistance. USDA's Debarment regulations, 7 CFR Part 3017.

[REDACTED] (SEAL)  
 CHARLES R. OSTROM (BORROWER)  
[REDACTED] (SEAL)  
[REDACTED]

809 S. Cedar Street  
Delavan, IL 61734

| RECORD OF ADVANCES |         |         |      |             |         |
|--------------------|---------|---------|------|-------------|---------|
| AMOUNT             | DATE    | AMOUNT  | DATE | AMOUNT      | DATE    |
| (1) \$ 54480.00    | 5/29/96 | (8) \$  |      | (15) \$     |         |
| (2) \$             |         | (9) \$  |      | (16) \$     |         |
| (3) \$             |         | (10) \$ |      | (17) \$     |         |
| (4) \$             |         | (11) \$ |      | (18) \$     |         |
| (5) \$             |         | (12) \$ |      | (19) \$     |         |
| (6) \$             |         | (13) \$ |      | (20) \$     |         |
| (7) \$             |         | (14) \$ |      | (21) \$     |         |
| TOTAL              |         |         |      | \$ 54480.00 | 5/29/96 |

\*U.S. Government Printing Office: 1993 — 755-049/80506

USDA-RHS  
Form RD 3550-22  
(Rev. 8-99)

FORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 0575-0172

|   |                      |   |
|---|----------------------|---|
| <b>UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE</b><br><b>RURAL HOUSING SERVICE</b><br><br><b>ASSUMPTION AGREEMENT</b><br><b>SINGLE FAMILY HOUSING</b> | Type of Loan Assumed | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 502         |
|   |                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Section 504                    |
|   | Type of Transferee   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Transferee  |
|   |                      | <input type="checkbox"/> NonProgram Transferee          |
|   | Type of Assumption   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Rates and Terms |
|   |                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Same Rates and Terms           |
| Sellers Case No:  |                      |   |
| Transferee Case No:   |                      |   |

This Agreement dated June 17, 2005 is between the United States of America, acting through the Rural Housing Service, its successors and assigns (herein called the Government) and Kasey R Kensinger

(herein called the Borrower or transferee), whose mailing address is: 809 S CEDAR ST  
DELAVER, IL 61734

The Government is the holder of one or more of the following debt instruments executed, CHARLES R OSTROM

(the sellers), which instrument is secured by real property located in Tazewell County, State of IL pursuant to the following security instruments:

| Type of Debt Instrument | Date Executed | Original Principal | Interest Rate | Type of Security Instrument | Date Executed | Office Where Recorded | Book/Volume Document No. | Page No. |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------|
|                         | 05-29-1996    | \$54480.00         | 6.7500        | REAL EST MORT               | 05-29-1996    | Tazewell              | 961069                   | 961069   |
|                         |               |                    |               |                             |               |                       |                          |          |
|                         |               |                    |               |                             |               |                       |                          |          |
|                         |               |                    |               |                             |               |                       |                          |          |
|                         |               |                    |               |                             |               |                       |                          |          |
|                         |               |                    |               |                             |               |                       |                          |          |

In consideration of the assumption of the indebtedness as herein provided and the Government's consent to this assumption and related conveyance of the security property, if applicable, it is agreed as follows:

1. The Borrower will assume the indebtedness and obligations of the above described debt and security instruments on (check only one):

☐ Same rates and terms: or

☒ New rates and terms with an interest rate of \_\_\_\_\_ percent ( 5.875% ) per

annum, the principal sum of Forty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Ten Dollars & 54/Cents dollars

(\$48,910.54), with the first installment of principal and interest of \$ 268.41 due on

07/17/05, and \$ 268.41 thereafter on the 17th of each month until

the principal and interest are fully paid, except that the final installment of the entire indebtedness evidenced hereby, if not paid sooner, shall be due and payable June 17, 2043 ( 38 ) years from the date of this Agreement. Borrower shall

escrow taxes and insurance in accordance with Agency regulations. By execution of this agreement borrower becomes personally obligated to repay the principal and interest to the Government on the terms stated herein.

2. Payments of principal and interest shall be applied in accordance with Government's accounting procedures in effect on the date of receipt of the payments. If Borrower's payment has not been received by the end of 15 days after it becomes due, Borrower will pay a late charge of 4 % of the overdue payment of principal and interest.

3. The provision of the debt and security instruments hereby assumed shall, except as modified herein, remain in full force and effect, and Borrower assumes the obligations of and agrees to comply with all covenants, agreements, and conditions in said instruments, as modified here, as though Borrower had executed them as of the date thereof as principal obligors. Borrower agrees to be personally liable to the Government for the repayment of the obligation assumed herein. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to release the seller from liability on the above described debt instruments.

4. Any provision of the debt or security instruments which requires that the Borrower occupy the Government financed dwelling or refinance to another credit source does not apply to assumption by a non-program transferee.

5. This agreement is subject to present regulations of the Government and to its future regulations which are not inconsistent with the express provisions hereof:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
RURAL HOUSING SERVICE

By: Dale Stocker

Title: Community Development Spec.

Date: 06-09-2005

Address: 1650 Fifth Street

Lincoln, IL 62656

(Borrower) Kasey R Kensinger

(Borrower)

(Cosigner)

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0575-0172. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 5 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

Holder, Kasey  
LINCOLNForm RD 1940-16  
(Rev. 7-05)Form Approved  
OMB No. 0575-0172UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
RURAL HOUSING SERVICE

## PROMISSORY NOTE

Type of Loan \_\_\_\_\_

SATISFIED

Loan No. \_\_\_\_\_

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_  
United States of America  
By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
USDA, Rural Housing Services

Date: 06/17 20 05

809 S CEDAR ST

(Property Address)

DEHAVAN

Tazewell

IL

(City or Town)

(County)

(State)

BORROWER'S PROMISE TO PAY. In return for a loan that I have received, I promise to pay to the order of the United States of America, acting through the Rural Housing Service (and its successors) ("Government") \$ 48,910.54 (this amount is called "principal"), plus interest.

INTEREST. Interest will be charged on the unpaid principal until the full amount of the principal has been paid. I will pay interest at a yearly rate of 5.8750 %. The interest rate required by this section is the rate I will pay both before and after any default described below.

PAYMENTS. I agree to pay principal and interest using one of two alternatives indicated below:

I. Principal and interest payments shall be temporarily deferred. The interest accrued to \_\_\_\_\_, shall be added to the principal. The new principal and later accrued interest shall be payable in 456 regular amortized installments on the date indicated in the box below. I authorize the Government to enter the amount of such new principal here: \$ \_\_\_\_\_, and the amount of such regular installments in the box below when such amounts have been determined. I agree to pay principal and interest in installments as indicated in the box below.

II. Payments shall not be deferred. I agree to pay principal and interest in 456 installments as indicated in the box below.

I will pay principal and interest by making a payment every month.

I will make my monthly payment on the 17th day of each month beginning on July 17, 2005 and continuing for 455 months. I will make these payments every month until I have paid all of the principal and interest and any other charges described below that I may owe under this note. My monthly payments will be applied to interest before principal. If on June 17, 2043, I still owe amounts under this note, I will pay those amounts in full on that date, which is called the "maturity date."

My monthly payment will be \$ 268.41. I will make my monthly payment at the post office address noted on my billing statement or a different place if required by the Government.

PRINCIPAL ADVANCES. If the entire principal amount of the loan is not advanced at the time of loan closing, the unadvanced balance of the loan will be advanced at my request provided the Government agrees to the advance. The Government must make the advance provided the advance is requested for an authorized purpose. Interest shall accrue on the amount of each advance beginning on the date of the advance as shown in the Record of Advances below. I authorize the Government to enter the amount and date of the advance as shown in the Record of Advances below. I authorize the Government to enter the amount and date of such advance on the Record of Advances.

HOUSING ACT OF 1949. This promissory note is made pursuant to title V of the Housing Act of 1949. It is for the type of loan indicated in the "Type of Loan" block at the top of this note. This note shall be subject to the present regulations of the Government and to its future regulations not inconsistent with the express provisions of this note.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0575-0172. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.



Account # [REDACTED]

**LATE CHARGES.** If the Government has not received the full amount of any monthly payment by the end of 15 days after the date it is due, I will pay a late charge. The amount of the charge will be 4 percent of my overdue payment of principal and interest. I will pay this charge promptly, but only once for each late payment.

**BORROWER'S RIGHT TO PREPAY.** I have the right to make payments of principal at any time before they are due. A payment of principal only is known as a "prepayment." When I make a prepayment, I will tell the Government in writing that I am making a prepayment.

I may make a full prepayment or partial prepayment without paying any prepayment charge. The Government will use all of my prepayments to reduce the amount of principal that I owe under this Note. If I make a partial prepayment, there will be no changes in the due date or in the amount of my monthly payment unless the Government agrees in writing to those changes. Prepayments will be applied to my loan in accordance with the Government's regulations and accounting procedures in effect on the date of receipt of the payment.

**ASSIGNMENT OF NOTE.** I understand and agree that the Government may at any time assign this note without my consent. If the Government assigns the note I will make my payments to the assignee of the note and in such case the term "Government" will mean the assignee.

**CREDIT ELSEWHERE CERTIFICATION.** I certify to the Government that I am unable to obtain sufficient credit from other sources at reasonable rates and terms for the purposes for which the Government is giving me this loan.

**USE CERTIFICATION.** I certify to the Government that the funds I am borrowing from the Government will only be used for purposes authorized by the Government.

**LEASE OR SALE OF PROPERTY.** If the property constructed, improved, purchased, or refinanced with this loan is (1) leased or rented with an option to purchase, (2) leased or rented without option to purchase for 3 years or longer, or (3) is sold or title is otherwise conveyed, voluntarily or involuntarily, the Government may at its option declare the entire remaining unpaid balance of the loan immediately due and payable. If this happens, I will have to immediately pay off the entire loan.

**REQUIREMENT TO REFINANCE WITH PRIVATE CREDIT.** I agree to periodically provide the Government with information the Government requests about my financial situation. If the Government determines that I can get a loan from a responsible cooperative or private credit source, such as a bank or a credit union, at reasonable rates and terms for similar purposes as this loan, at the Government's request, I will apply for and accept a loan in a sufficient amount to pay this note in full. This requirement does not apply to any cosigner who signed this note pursuant to section 502 of the Housing Act of 1949 to compensate for my lack of repayment ability.

**SUBSIDY REPAYMENT AGREEMENT.** I agree to the repayment (recapture) of subsidy granted in the form of payment assistance under the Government's regulations.

**CREDIT SALE TO NONPROGRAM BORROWER.** The provisions of the paragraphs entitled "Credit Elsewhere Certification" and "Requirement to Refinance with Private Credit" do not apply if this loan is classified as a nonprogram loan pursuant to section 502 of the Housing Act of 1949.

**DEFAULT.** If I do not pay the full amount of each monthly payment on the date it is due, I will be in default. If I am in default the Government may send me a written notice telling me that if I do not pay the overdue amount by a certain date, the Government may require me to immediately pay the full amount of the unpaid principal, all the interest that I owe, and any late charges. Interest will continue to accrue on past due principal and interest. Even if, at a time when I am in default, the Government does not require me to pay immediately as described in the preceding sentence, the Government will still have the right to do so if I am in default at a later date. If the Government has required me to immediately pay in full as described above, the Government will have the right to be paid back by me for all of its costs and expenses in enforcing this promissory note to the extent not prohibited by applicable law. Those expenses include, for example, reasonable attorney's fees.



Account # [REDACTED]

NOTICES. Unless applicable law requires a different method, any notice that must be given to me under this note will be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to me at the property address listed above or at a different address if I give the Government a notice of my different address. Any notice that must be given to the Government will be given by mailing it by first class mail to the Government at USDA Rural Housing Service, c/o Customer Service Branch  
Post Office Box 66889, St. Louis, MO 63166, or at a different address if I am given a notice of that different address.

OBLIGATIONS OF PERSONS UNDER THIS NOTE. If more than one person signs this note, each person is fully and personally obligated to keep all of the promises made in this note, including the promise to pay the full amount owed. Any person who is a guarantor, surety, or endorser of this note is also obligated to do these things. The Government may enforce its rights under this note against each person individually or against all of us together. This means that any one of us may be required to pay all of the amounts owed under this note. The term "Borrower" shall refer to each person signing this note.

WAIVERS. I and any other person who has obligations under this note waive the rights of presentment and notice of dishonor. "Presentment" means the right to require the Government to demand payment of amounts due. "Notice of dishonor" means the right to require the Government to give notice to other persons that amounts due have not been paid.

**WARNING: Failure to fully disclose accurate and truthful financial information in connection with my loan application may result in the termination of program assistance currently being received, and the denial of future federal assistance under the Department of Agriculture's Debarment regulations, 7 C.F.R. part 3017.**

*[Signature]*  
[REDACTED] Seal  
Borrower Ms Kasey R Kensinger

\_\_\_\_ Seal  
Borrower

\_\_\_\_ Seal  
Borrower

\_\_\_\_ Seal  
Borrower

### RECORD OF ADVANCES

| AMOUNT             | DATE       | AMOUNT  | DATE | AMOUNT  | DATE |
|--------------------|------------|---------|------|---------|------|
| (1) \$ 48,910.54   | 06-17-2005 | (8) \$  |      | (15) \$ |      |
| (2) \$             |            | (9) \$  |      | (16) \$ |      |
| (3) \$             |            | (10) \$ |      | (17) \$ |      |
| (4) \$             |            | (11) \$ |      | (18) \$ |      |
| (5) \$             |            | (12) \$ |      | (19) \$ |      |
| (6) \$             |            | (13) \$ |      | (20) \$ |      |
| (7) \$             |            | (14) \$ |      | (21) \$ |      |
| TOTAL \$ 48,910.54 |            |         |      |         |      |

Form RD 1940-16  
(Rev. 6-99)Form Approved  
OMB No. 0575-0172UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
RURAL HOUSING SERVICE

## PROMISSORY NOTE

Type of Loan SECTION 502

Loan No. [REDACTED]

Date: 06-17-2005809 S CEDAR ST

(Property Address)

Delavan

(City or Town)

Tazewell

(County)

IL

(State)

**BORROWER'S PROMISE TO PAY.** In return for a loan that I have received, I promise to pay to the order of the United States of America, acting through the Rural Housing Service (and its successors) ("Government") \$ 15,021.46 (this amount is called "principal"), plus interest.

**INTEREST.** Interest will be charged on the unpaid principal until the full amount of the principal has been paid. I will pay interest at a yearly rate of 5.8750 %. The interest rate required by this section is the rate I will pay both before and after any default described below.

**PAYMENTS.** I agree to pay principal and interest using one of two alternatives indicated below:

I. Principal and interest payments shall be temporarily deferred. The interest accrued to \_\_\_\_\_, shall be added to the principal. The new principal and later accrued interest shall be payable in 0 regular amortized installments on the date indicated in the box below. I authorize the Government to enter the amount of such new principal here: \$ \_\_\_\_\_, and the amount of such regular installments in the box below when such amounts have been determined. I agree to pay principal and interest in installments as indicated in the box below.

II. Payments shall not be deferred. I agree to pay principal and interest in 0 installments as indicated in the box below.

I will pay principal and interest by making a payment every month.

I will make my monthly payment on the 17th day of each month beginning on July 17, 2005 and continuing for -1 months. I will make these payments every month until I have paid all of the principal and interest and any other charges described below that I may owe under this note. My monthly payments will be applied to interest before principal. If on June 17, 2043, I still owe amounts under this note, I will pay those amounts in full on that date, which is called the "maturity date."

My monthly payment will be \$ 82.44. I will make my monthly payment at the post office address noted on my billing statement or a different place if required by the Government.

**PRINCIPAL ADVANCES.** If the entire principal amount of the loan is not advanced at the time of loan closing, the unadvanced balance of the loan will be advanced at my request provided the Government agrees to the advance. The Government must make the advance provided the advance is requested for an authorized purpose. Interest shall accrue on the amount of each advance beginning on the date of the advance as shown in the Record of Advances below. I authorize the Government to enter the amount and date of the advance as shown in the Record of Advances below. I authorize the Government to enter the amount and date of such advance on the Record of Advances.

**HOUSING ACT OF 1949.** This promissory note is made pursuant to title V of the Housing Act of 1949. It is for the type of loan indicated in the "Type of Loan" block at the top of this note. This note shall be subject to the present regulations of the Government and to its future regulations not inconsistent with the express provisions of this note.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0575-0172. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

Account # [REDACTED]

**LATE CHARGES.** If the Government has not received the full amount of any monthly payment by the end of 15 days after the date it is due, I will pay a late charge. The amount of the charge will be 4 percent of my overdue payment of principal and interest. I will pay this charge promptly, but only once for each late payment.

**BORROWER'S RIGHT TO PREPAY.** I have the right to make payments of principal at any time before they are due. A payment of principal only is known as a "prepayment." When I make a prepayment, I will tell the Government in writing that I am making a prepayment.

I may make a full prepayment or partial prepayment without paying any prepayment charge. The Government will use all of my prepayments to reduce the amount of principal that I owe under this Note. If I make a partial prepayment, there will be no changes in the due date or in the amount of my monthly payment unless the Government agrees in writing to those changes. Prepayments will be applied to my loan in accordance with the Government's regulations and accounting procedures in effect on the date of receipt of the payment.

**ASSIGNMENT OF NOTE.** I understand and agree that the Government may at any time assign this note without my consent. If the Government assigns the note I will make my payments to the assignee of the note and in such case the term "Government" will mean the assignee.

**CREDIT ELSEWHERE CERTIFICATION.** I certify to the Government that I am unable to obtain sufficient credit from other sources at reasonable rates and terms for the purposes for which the Government is giving me this loan.

**USE CERTIFICATION.** I certify to the Government that the funds I am borrowing from the Government will only be used for purposes authorized by the Government.

**LEASE OR SALE OF PROPERTY.** If the property constructed, improved, purchased, or refinanced with this loan is (1) leased or rented with an option to purchase, (2) leased or rented without option to purchase for 3 years or longer, or (3) is sold or title is otherwise conveyed, voluntarily or involuntarily, the Government may at its option declare the entire remaining unpaid balance of the loan immediately due and payable. If this happens, I will have to immediately pay off the entire loan.

**REQUIREMENT TO REFINANCE WITH PRIVATE CREDIT.** I agree to periodically provide the Government with information the Government requests about my financial situation. If the Government determines that I can get a loan from a responsible cooperative or private credit source, such as a bank or a credit union, at reasonable rates and terms for similar purposes as this loan, at the Government's request, I will apply for and accept a loan in a sufficient amount to pay this note in full. This requirement does not apply to any cosigner who signed this note pursuant to section 502 of the Housing Act of 1949 to compensate for my lack of repayment ability.

**SUBSIDY REPAYMENT AGREEMENT.** I agree to the repayment (recapture) of subsidy granted in the form of payment assistance under the Government's regulations.

**CREDIT SALE TO NONPROGRAM BORROWER.** The provisions of the paragraphs entitled "Credit Elsewhere Certification" and "Requirement to Refinance with Private Credit" do not apply if this loan is classified as a nonprogram loan pursuant to section 502 of the Housing Act of 1949.

**DEFAULT.** If I do not pay the full amount of each monthly payment on the date it is due, I will be in default. If I am in default the Government may send me a written notice telling me that if I do not pay the overdue amount by a certain date, the Government may require me to immediately pay the full amount of the unpaid principal, all the interest that I owe, and any late charges. Interest will continue to accrue on past due principal and interest. Even if, at a time when I am in default, the Government does not require me to pay immediately as described in the preceding sentence, the Government will still have the right to do so if I am in default at a later date. If the Government has required me to immediately pay in full as described above, the Government will have the right to be paid back by me for all of its costs and expenses in enforcing this promissory note to the extent not prohibited by applicable law. Those expenses include, for example, reasonable attorney's fees.

Account # [REDACTED]

NOTICES. Unless applicable law requires a different method, any notice that must be given to me under this note will be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail to me at the property address listed above or at a different address if I give the Government a notice of my different address. Any notice that must be given to the Government will be given by mailing it by first class mail to the Government at USDA Rural Housing Service, c/o Customer Service Branch  
Post Office Box 66889, St. Louis, MO 63166, or at a different address if I am given a notice of that different address.

OBLIGATIONS OF PERSONS UNDER THIS NOTE. If more than one person signs this note, each person is fully and personally obligated to keep all of the promises made in this note, including the promise to pay the full amount owed. Any person who is a guarantor, surety, or endorser of this note is also obligated to do these things. The Government may enforce its rights under this note against each person individually or against all of us together. This means that any one of us may be required to pay all of the amounts owed under this note. The term "Borrower" shall refer to each person signing this note.

WAIVERS. I and any other person who has obligations under this note waive the rights of presentment and notice of dishonor. "Presentment" means the right to require the Government to demand payment of amounts due. "Notice of dishonor" means the right to require the Government to give notice to other persons that amounts due have not been paid.

**WARNING: Failure to fully disclose accurate and truthful financial information in connection with my loan application may result in the termination of program assistance currently being received, and the denial of future federal assistance under the Department of Agriculture's Debarment regulations, 7 C.F.R. part 3017.**

[Signature] Seal  
Borrower Kasey R Kensinger

\_\_\_\_\_  
Borrower

\_\_\_\_\_  
Borrower

\_\_\_\_\_  
Borrower

\_\_\_\_\_  
Borrower

### RECORD OF ADVANCES

| AMOUNT          | DATE       | AMOUNT  | DATE | AMOUNT  | DATE |
|-----------------|------------|---------|------|---------|------|
| (1) \$15,021.46 | 06-17-2005 | (8) \$  |      | (15) \$ | <    |
| (2) \$          |            | (9) \$  |      | (16) \$ |      |
| (3) \$          |            | (10) \$ |      | (17) \$ |      |
| (4) \$          |            | (11) \$ |      | (18) \$ |      |
| (5) \$          |            | (12) \$ |      | (19) \$ |      |
| (6) \$          |            | (13) \$ |      | (20) \$ |      |
| (7) \$          |            | (14) \$ |      | (21) \$ |      |
| TOTAL \$        |            |         |      |         |      |



**United States  
Department of  
Agriculture**

**Rural Development**

Centralized Servicing Center

P.O. Box 66827

St. Louis, MO 63166

(800) 793-8861 (Voice)

(800) 438-1832 (TDD/TTY Hearing Impaired Only) or

(314) 457-4450 (FAX)

CERTIFIED MAIL

RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

KASEY R KESINGER

DEHAVAN

IL 61734

SCP

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF ACCELERATION OF YOUR MORTGAGE LOAN(S); DEMAND FOR PAYMENT OF THAT DEBT; NOTICE OF INTENT TO FORECLOSE; AND NOTICE OF YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE A HEARING CONCERNING THIS ACTION

Dear KASEY R KESINGER

PLEASE TAKE NOTE that the entire indebtedness due on the promissory note(s) and/or assumption agreement(s) which evidence the loan(s) received by you from the United States of America, acting through the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Housing Service (RHS), formerly Farmers Home Administration, is now declared immediately due and payable and demand is hereby made on you to pay this entire indebtedness. If payment in full is not made as demanded herein, the RHS intends to enforce its real estate mortgage(s) or deed(s) of trust given to secure the indebtedness by foreclosure of its lien(s) on your house.

| <u>Account Number(s)</u> | <u>Date of Instruments</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| [REDACTED]               | 05/29/96                   | 54480.00      |
| [REDACTED]               | 06/17/05                   | 15021.46      |
| [REDACTED]               | 12/17/05                   | 3000.00       |

This acceleration of your indebtedness is made in accordance with the authority granted in the above-described instrument(s). The reason(s) for the acceleration of your indebtedness is (are) as follows:

**MONETARY DEFAULT**

The balance of the account is \$ 61875.69 unpaid principal and  
\$ 9965.42 unpaid interest, as of 12/31/14, plus additional interest accruing at the rate  
of \$ 9.6772 per day thereafter, plus additional advances to be made by the United States  
for the protection of its security, the interest accruing on any such advances, fees, or late charges,  
and the amount of subsidy to be recaptured in accordance with the Subsidy Repayment Agreement.  
EXHIBIT G

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at [http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint\\_filing\\_cust.html](http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html), or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all of the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter to us by mail at U.S. Department of Agriculture, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at [program.intake@usda.gov](mailto:program.intake@usda.gov).

Unless full payment of this indebtedness is received within 30 days from the date of this letter, the United States will take action to foreclose its lien on your house and to pursue any other available remedies. **Payment should be made by cashier's check, certified check, or postal money orders payable to the USDA/RD and mailed to the following address:**

USDA-Rural Development  
P.O. Box 790170  
St. Louis, MO 63179-0170

If you submit to the United States any payment insufficient to pay the account in full or insufficient to comply with any arrangements agreed to between the RHS and yourself, the payment WILL NOT CANCEL the effect of this notice. If insufficient payments are received and credited to your account, no waiver or prejudice of any rights which the United States may have will result and the RHS may proceed as though no such payments had been made.

**YOUR RIGHT TO A DISCUSSION WITH RHS** - You have the opportunity to discuss this decision to accelerate your loan(s) with a RHS official or have an administrative appeal hearing before the foreclosure takes place. This is an opportunity to discuss why you believe the United States is in error in accelerating your loan(s) and proceeding with foreclosure. If you desire to have an informal discussion with an RHS official or have any questions concerning this decision or the facts used in making this decision, you should contact this office in writing. The request for an informal discussion must be sent to the undersigned no later than 01/15/15 . Requests which are postmarked by the U. S. Postal Service on or before that date will be considered as timely received. You also have the right to an administrative appeal hearing with a hearing officer instead of, or in addition to, an informal discussion with this office. If you request an informal discussion with an RHS official, and this does not result in a decision in which you concur, you will be given a separate time frame in which to submit your request for an administrative appeal. See the attachment for your appeal rights.)

**YOUR RIGHT TO AN ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL HEARING** - If you do not wish to have an informal discussion with an RHS official as outlined above, you may request an administrative appeal with a member of the National Appeals Division Area Supervisor, no later than 30 days after the date on which you received this notice. Requests which are postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service on or before that date will be considered as timely received as requesting an administrative appeal. Please include a copy of this letter with your request.

If you fail to comply with the requirement outlined, the United States plans to proceed with foreclosure. You may avoid foreclosure by (1) refinancing your RHS loan(s) with a private or commercial lender or otherwise paying your indebtedness in full; (2) selling the property for its fair market value and applying the proceeds to your loan(s); (3) transferring the loan(s) and property to an eligible or ineligible applicant with RHS approval; or (4) conveying the property to the Government with RHS approval. Please contact our Centralized Servicing Center office at 1-800-793-8861, if you desire to satisfy your loan(s) by one of the above methods.


You cannot be discriminated against in a credit transaction because of your race, color, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, handicap, or age (if you have the legal capacity to enter into a contract). You cannot be denied a loan because all or a part of your income is from a public assistance program. If you believe you have been discriminated against for any of these reasons, you should write to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

You cannot be discriminated against in a credit transaction because you in good faith exercised your rights under the Consumer Credit Protection Act. The Federal Agency responsible for seeing this law is obeyed is the Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580.

For questions regarding your account, please call Default Management toll free at 1-800-793-8861 or 1-800-438-1832 (TDD/TTY Hearing Impaired Only), 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, Central Time. Please refer to your Account number when you write or call us. Thank you.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

BY



Thomas B Herron  
Director, Default Management Branch  
Rural Development  
United States Department of Agriculture

Date: 12/31/14

Attachment

CC: State Office

This letter was mailed certified and regular mail on 12/31/14 .



## APPEALS RIGHTS ATTACHMENT

If you believe the decision described in the attached letter or the facts used in this case are in error, you may pursue any or all of the following three options.

### OPTION 1 - Reconsideration

If you have questions concerning this decision or the facts used in making it and desire further explanation, you may write this office to request reconsideration. There is no cost for reconsideration. This written request must be received no later than 15 calendar days from the date of the attached letter. You must present any new information, evidence and/or possible alternatives along with your request. You may skip this informal process and select one of the following two options. If you do, you will automatically waive your right to reconsideration.

### OPTION 2 - Mediation

You have the right to request mediation or other forms of alternative dispute resolution (ADR) of the issues in this decision. *You may have to pay for the cost of mediation.* If you request mediation or ADR, and resources are available, Rural Development will participate in the mediation or ADR process. To request mediation or ADR, you must write the Rural Development State Director (see reverse side). The written notice must be postmarked by you no later than 30 calendar days from the date of this letter. Mediation and ADR do not take the place of, or limit your rights to, an appeal to the National Appeals Division (NAD); however, a NAD appeal hearing would take place after mediation. You may skip mediation and request an appeal hearing. However, in doing so, you will automatically waive your rights to mediation and reconsideration.

### OPTION 3 - Request an Appeal

You may request an appeal hearing by the National Appeals Division (NAD) rather than reconsideration or mediation. There is no cost for an appeal. A request for an appeal must be postmarked within 30 days from the date on which you received this letter. You must write the Assistant Director of the NAD (see reverse side).

The appeal hearing will generally be held within 45 days of the receipt of your request.

You or your representative or counsel may contact this office anytime during regular office hours in the 10 days following the receipt of your request for a hearing to obtain copies of relevant, non-confidential material on your account. Your representative or counsel should have your written authorization to represent you and review your account records.

You may request a teleconference hearing or a personal meeting with a Hearing Officer. You may have a representative or counsel with you at these hearings and may present your own witnesses. At any time before the scheduled hearing you may also request that the Hearing Officer make a decision without a hearing. If you do, the Hearing Officer's decision will be based on the Rural Development file, any written statements or evidence you may provide and any additional information the Hearing Officer deems necessary.

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at [http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint\\_filing\\_cust.html](http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html), or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all of the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter to us by mail at U.S. Department of Agriculture, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at [program.intake@usda.gov](mailto:program.intake@usda.gov).



To request reconsideration, send a written request to:

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
CENTRALIZED SERVICING CENTER  
DEFAULT MANAGEMENT BRANCH, FC 214  
4300 GOODFELLOW BLVD, BLDG 105  
ST. LOUIS, MO 63120

To request mediation, send a written request to the state office address below, with a copy to the address above.

ILLINOIS STATE OFFICE  
USDA - Rural Development  
2118 West Park Court  
Suite A  
Champaign, IL 61821-2986

To request an appeal, send a written request with a copy of the decision letter to the address below:

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
National Appeals Division  
Eastern Regional Office  
PO Box 68806  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46268  
1-800-541-0457

The JS 44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replace nor supplement the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. (SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON NEXT PAGE OF THIS FORM.)

**I. (a) PLAINTIFFS**

United States of America

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff \_\_\_\_\_  
(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)

Kimberly A. Klein, Assistant U.S. Attorney, 211 Fulton St.,  
Suite 400, Peoria, IL 61602  
(309) 671-7050

**DEFENDANTS**

Kasey R. Kensinger and Bank of America, N.A.

County of Residence of First Listed Defendant **Tazewell**  
(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)

NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF  
THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.

Attorneys (If Known)

**II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION** (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

- ☒ 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff
- ☐ 2 U.S. Government Defendant
- ☐ 3 Federal Question  
(U.S. Government Not a Party)
- ☐ 4 Diversity  
(Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

**III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES** (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)

- |   | PTF                        | DEF                        |   | PTF                        | DEF                        |
|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Citizen of This State                   | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State     | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 |
| Citizen of Another State                | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 |
| Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | Foreign Nation  | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 |

**IV. NATURE OF SUIT** (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

| CONTRACT  | TORTS  | FORFEITURE/PENALTY   | BANKRUPTCY  | OTHER STATUTES  |  |
|---|--|--|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 110 Insurance<br><input type="checkbox"/> 120 Marine<br><input type="checkbox"/> 130 Miller Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 140 Negotiable Instrument<br><input type="checkbox"/> 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment<br><input type="checkbox"/> 151 Medicare Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (Excludes Veterans)<br><input type="checkbox"/> 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits<br><input type="checkbox"/> 160 Stockholders' Suits<br><input type="checkbox"/> 190 Other Contract<br><input type="checkbox"/> 195 Contract Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 196 Franchise | <b>PERSONAL INJURY</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 310 Airplane<br><input type="checkbox"/> 315 Airplane Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 320 Assault, Libel & Slander<br><input type="checkbox"/> 330 Federal Employers' Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 340 Marine<br><input type="checkbox"/> 345 Marine Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 350 Motor Vehicle<br><input type="checkbox"/> 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 360 Other Personal Injury<br><input type="checkbox"/> 362 Personal Injury - Medical Malpractice | <b>PERSONAL INJURY</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 365 Personal Injury - Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 367 Health Care/Pharmaceutical Personal Injury Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 368 Asbestos Personal Injury Product Liability<br><b>PERSONAL PROPERTY</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 370 Other Fraud<br><input type="checkbox"/> 371 Truth in Lending<br><input type="checkbox"/> 380 Other Personal Property Damage<br><input type="checkbox"/> 385 Property Damage Product Liability | <input type="checkbox"/> 625 Drug Related Seizure of Property 21 USC 881<br><input type="checkbox"/> 690 Other<br><b>LABOR</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 710 Fair Labor Standards Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 720 Labor/Management Relations<br><input type="checkbox"/> 740 Railway Labor Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 751 Family and Medical Leave Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 790 Other Labor Litigation<br><input type="checkbox"/> 791 Employee Retirement Income Security Act<br><b>IMMIGRATION</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 462 Naturalization Application<br><input type="checkbox"/> 465 Other Immigration Actions | <input type="checkbox"/> 422 Appeal 28 USC 158<br><input type="checkbox"/> 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157<br><b>PROPERTY RIGHTS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 820 Copyrights<br><input type="checkbox"/> 830 Patent<br><input type="checkbox"/> 840 Trademark<br><b>SOCIAL SECURITY</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 861 HIA (1395ff)<br><input type="checkbox"/> 862 Black Lung (923)<br><input type="checkbox"/> 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g))<br><input type="checkbox"/> 864 SSID Title XVI<br><input type="checkbox"/> 865 RSI (405(g))<br><b>FEDERAL TAX SUITS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant)<br><input type="checkbox"/> 871 IRS—Third Party 26 USC 7609 | <input type="checkbox"/> 375 False Claims Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 400 State Reapportionment<br><input type="checkbox"/> 410 Antitrust<br><input type="checkbox"/> 430 Banks and Banking<br><input type="checkbox"/> 450 Commerce<br><input type="checkbox"/> 460 Deportation<br><input type="checkbox"/> 470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations<br><input type="checkbox"/> 480 Consumer Credit<br><input type="checkbox"/> 490 Cable/Sat TV<br><input type="checkbox"/> 850 Securities/Commodities/Exchange<br><input type="checkbox"/> 890 Other Statutory Actions<br><input type="checkbox"/> 891 Agricultural Acts<br><input type="checkbox"/> 893 Environmental Matters<br><input type="checkbox"/> 895 Freedom of Information Act<br><input type="checkbox"/> 896 Arbitration<br><input type="checkbox"/> 899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision<br><input type="checkbox"/> 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes |
| <b>REAL PROPERTY</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 210 Land Condemnation<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 220 Foreclosure<br><input type="checkbox"/> 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment<br><input type="checkbox"/> 240 Torts to Land<br><input type="checkbox"/> 245 Tort Product Liability<br><input type="checkbox"/> 290 All Other Real Property   | <b>CIVIL RIGHTS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 440 Other Civil Rights<br><input type="checkbox"/> 441 Voting<br><input type="checkbox"/> 442 Employment<br><input type="checkbox"/> 443 Housing/Accommodations<br><input type="checkbox"/> 445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment<br><input type="checkbox"/> 446 Amer. w/Disabilities - Other<br><input type="checkbox"/> 448 Education   | <b>PRISONER PETITIONS</b><br><b>Habeas Corpus:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 463 Alien Detainee<br><input type="checkbox"/> 510 Motions to Vacate Sentence<br><input type="checkbox"/> 530 General<br><input type="checkbox"/> 535 Death Penalty<br><b>Other:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> 540 Mandamus & Other<br><input type="checkbox"/> 550 Civil Rights<br><input type="checkbox"/> 555 Prison Condition<br><input type="checkbox"/> 560 Civil Detainee - Conditions of Confinement                                |   |   |  |

**V. ORIGIN** (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

- ☒ 1 Original Proceeding
- ☐ 2 Removed from State Court
- ☐ 3 Remanded from Appellate Court
- ☐ 4 Reinstated or Reopened
- ☐ 5 Transferred from Another District (specify)
- ☐ 6 Multidistrict Litigation

**VI. CAUSE OF ACTION**

Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):

Brief description of cause:  
Foreclosure

**VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:**

☐ CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P.

DEMAND \$  
100,604.36

CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:

JURY DEMAND: ☐ Yes ☐ No

**VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY**

(See instructions):

JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_

DOCKET NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

DATE 03/25/2019  
SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD  
s/Kimberly A. Klein, Assistant U.S. Attorney

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

RECEIPT # \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT \_\_\_\_\_ APPLYING IFP \_\_\_\_\_ JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_ MAG. JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTORNEYS COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET FORM JS 44

## Authority For Civil Cover Sheet

The JS 44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replaces nor supplements the filings and service of pleading or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. Consequently, a civil cover sheet is submitted to the Clerk of Court for each civil complaint filed. The attorney filing a case should complete the form as follows:

- I.(a) Plaintiffs-Defendants.** Enter names (last, first, middle initial) of plaintiff and defendant. If the plaintiff or defendant is a government agency, use only the full name or standard abbreviations. If the plaintiff or defendant is an official within a government agency, identify first the agency and then the official, giving both name and title.
  - (b) County of Residence.** For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)
  - (c) Attorneys.** Enter the firm name, address, telephone number, and attorney of record. If there are several attorneys, list them on an attachment, noting in this section "(see attachment)".
- II. Jurisdiction.** The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.Cv.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.
- United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here.
- United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box.
- Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.
- Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; **NOTE: federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.**)
- III. Residence (citizenship) of Principal Parties.** This section of the JS 44 is to be completed if diversity of citizenship was indicated above. Mark this section for each principal party.
- IV. Nature of Suit.** Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If the nature of suit cannot be determined, be sure the cause of action, in Section VI below, is sufficient to enable the deputy clerk or the statistical clerk(s) in the Administrative Office to determine the nature of suit. If the cause fits more than one nature of suit, select the most definitive.
- V. Origin.** Place an "X" in one of the six boxes.
- Original Proceedings. (1) Cases which originate in the United States district courts.
- Removed from State Court. (2) Proceedings initiated in state courts may be removed to the district courts under Title 28 U.S.C., Section 1441. When the petition for removal is granted, check this box.
- Remanded from Appellate Court. (3) Check this box for cases remanded to the district court for further action. Use the date of remand as the filing date.
- Reinstated or Reopened. (4) Check this box for cases reinstated or reopened in the district court. Use the reopening date as the filing date.
- Transferred from Another District. (5) For cases transferred under Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a). Do not use this for within district transfers or multidistrict litigation transfers.
- Multidistrict Litigation. (6) Check this box when a multidistrict case is transferred into the district under authority of Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1407. When this box is checked, do not check (5) above.
- VI. Cause of Action.** Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. **Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity.** Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553 Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service
- VII. Requested in Complaint.** Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P.
- Demand. In this space enter the actual dollar amount being demanded or indicate other demand, such as a preliminary injunction.
- Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.
- VIII. Related Cases.** This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related pending cases, if any. If there are related pending cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

**Date and Attorney Signature.** Date and sign the civil cover sheet.